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### *National Maritime Quarantine, Montauk Point, Long Island, N. Y.*

*Statement of transports which have arrived at Montauk Point (Camp Wikoff) August 25 to August 31, 1898, showing number of troops arriving thereon, number of sick, and number of yellow fever cases and deaths reported to have occurred on same.*

Date.	Name of transport.	Number of troops.	Number of sick.	Remarks.
Aug. 25	Ss. Harvard.....	670	33	No yellow fever; 1 death en route.
Aug. 26	Ss. Santiago.....	489	124	No yellow fever.
Aug. 28	Ss. Minnewaska....	816	49	No yellow fever; 1 death en route.
Aug. 30	Ss. Specialist.....	118	20	No yellow fever.
Do....	Ss. San Marcos.....	397	5	Ninety-four sick landed in New York; no yellow fever.
Do....	Ss. City of Berlin...	886	150	No yellow fever; 1 death en route.
Aug. 31	Ss. Panther.....	106	15	No yellow fever.
Do....	Ss. Allegheney.....	480	145	No yellow fever; 14 deaths en route.

NOTE.—The suspicious case of fever noted on the steamship *Mohawk*, arriving on the 25th, was pronounced after necropsy to have been a case of malarial fever.

### *Yellow fever in Franklin, La.*

There were no new cases of yellow fever at Franklin on the 25th or the 26th instant. On the 27th instant Surgeon Carter reported that a case of fever, decidedly suspicious in character, had developed on the 24th in a person who had probably been exposed to the same source of infection as had the last case of yellow fever. The detention camp was reported as being in course of construction on the 28th. No new cases occurred on August 29. Surgeon Carter reported that all arrangements for establishing a detention camp and also train-inspection service had been completed, and that the latter would be instituted as soon as necessary. On the 30th a new case occurred—the physician who had